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Federal Commission Says Reduction Stops at Retailing

EVILS AND THEIR REMEDIES

Some Unfair Competition—Open Price Associations Condemned As Means Of Keeping Up High Prices.

Washington.—Legislation to eliminate unnecessary brokerage transactions, to facilitate a wide distribution of information regarding market conditions and to strengthen the powers of the Federal Government in its price investigations is recommended by the Federal Trade Commission in a report on the general industrial situation, drawn up at the request of President Harding and made public at the White House.

"Open price associations" which operate within the law to keep their respective members advised confidentially of one another's price schedules are accused by the commission of contributing to the maintenance of unduly high retail prices. It is suggested that means must be found to reduce costs of necessities, such as fuel and housing before other commodities can come back to normal.

"It should be said" the report concludes, "that following the disordered condition of the world's affairs, a shrinkage in values is inevitable and that normal conditions will be the more quickly restored if the producer, the laborer, the manufacturer, the jobber and the retailer will each share at once in the unavoidable loss, and further that any effort by any element to place its share of the common loss on the shoulders of others, and particularly of the consumer, can but result in a continuation of the conditions under which the country is now suffering."

Declaring that the cost of commodities to the consumer has not, broadly speaking, been reduced in proper proportion to the decline in agricultural and other raw materials the commission sets forth its belief that "in general, it would appear that the movement toward the reduction of prices to the consumer is retarded chiefly at the retailing stage, and that relief at this point would be reflected back in increased production, which would induce the production cost and relieve to some extent at least the check upon the manufacturer, and by increasing the demand for raw materials would react upon the producer."

The report also takes note of the influence of foreign combinations of capital in determining the price of such commodities as phosphate tobacco and grain and adds that among domestic combinations one of the newest and most widespread agencies for affecting markets is the "Open Price Association."

"One of the purposes of these associations," the report continues, "is nominally to determine uniform cost accounting methods and to steady the market by furnishing the supply which it can readily absorb. These associations collect and publish for the benefit of their members figures of production, production costs, sales and sales prices and orders and stocks in pursuance of a plan whereby the members of such associations are to compete among themselves and with others with knowledge of their own and their competitors' production costs and prices, the available supply and the demand."

OPERA SINGERS SHAKEN UP.

Mme. Perini And Ruffo In Automobile Collision.

Passaic, N. J.—Two members of the Metropolitan Opera Company, Titta Ruffo, barytone, and Mme. Flora Perini, contralto, were shaken up in an automobile collision near here. They were uninjured, however. Samuel D. Stan, a friend of Ruffo's, received cuts on the head and limbs and was taken to a hospital.

The party, which also included Hamlet Tolastri, Mme. Perini's husband, was on its way to Paterson, where Ruffo and Mme. Perini were to sing at a sacred concert. The concert was canceled.

GOMEZ GIVES UP FIGHT.

Will Not Contest Cuban Elections, But Retire.

Key West, Fla.—Asserting that he would retire to private life rather than endanger the safety of the Republic of Cuba by another American intervention, Gen. Jose Miguel Gomez, defeated candidate for the presidency of Cuba, declared in a statement here that he would not contest the elections.

SHIP SINKS; 19 MISSING.

Beaumont, Texas.—The Bowle Line steamship Colonel Bowie, with 22 men on board, foundered in the Gulf of Mexico Monday night, according to wireless advices received here. Three men were picked up by the British steamer Cissy. Nineteen men are still missing.

PEACE CAR MAY BE TROPHY.

One In Which Armistice Was Signed Will Be On Exhibit.

Paris.—The railway carriage in which the German representatives signed the armistice is, with Marshal Foch's consent, to be given a place of honor on the terrace of the Invalides beside the trophies of the Crimean War. It was originally intended to present the historic relic to the Louvre Museum, but it has been decided that in view of its military significance it should be exhibited at the Invalides.

PENSIONS EX-PRESIDENTS.

Washington.—A proposal that former Presidents be paid annual pensions of \$10,000 was introduced in the Senate by Senator Calder, Republican, New York, and in the House by Representative Dyer, Republican, Missouri.

Another pension plan introduced in the House was that of Representative Ricketts, Republican, Ohio, providing from \$6 to \$14 a week for persons over 65 years of age with incomes not exceeding \$10 a week, and who are attempting to earn a living if physically able to do so.

TARIFF BILL
PASSES HOUSE

Eight Republicans and Fifteen Democrats Desert Parties

FOLLOWS STORMY DEBATE

Senate Dictation Charged—Ways And Means Chairman Says Senate Would Not Permit Dotting "I" Or Crossing "t".

Washington.—The Young Emergency Tariff and Antidumping bill was pushed through the House by a vote of 269 to 112, with two members voting present.

The bill as passed is practically identical with the Fordney measure vetoed by President Wilson. Protection would be given a number of agricultural products, including wheat, cotton, sugar, wool, corn, cattle and sheep, but the bill would be operative for only six months instead of the 10 provided for in the Fordney measure.

The anti-dumping provisions also were not included in the Fordney measure together with a system for estimating the duties imposed on the basis of the American value of foreign coin as determined by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Passage of the measure came at the end of a stormy session during which a handful of Democrats aided by a few Republicans had harassed the leaders of the Republican side persistently for more than four hours. Charges that the Republicans had bowed to the "dictation of the Senate" were hurled not only by Representative Garrett, Tennessee, acting Democratic leader, but by Representative Newton, Minnesota, and Representative Luce, Massachusetts, both Republicans, as well.

The rollcall showed the following Democrats voting for the tariff: Parrish, Blanton, Hudspeth and Jones, of Texas; Deupre, Favrot, Martin and Lazaro, of Louisiana; Smithwick, Georgia; Taylor, Colorado; Lea, California; Clark, Florida; Campbell, Pennsylvania; Lankford, Georgia, and Deal, Virginia.

Republicans voting against the bill included: Stafford, Wisconsin; Tinkham, Massachusetts; Perlman, Volk, Ryan and Siegel, of New York; Luce, Massachusetts, and Keller, Michigan.

TO CONSOLIDATE AGENCIES.

Harding's Plan For Considering Former Service Men.

Washington.—President Harding's recommendation for a consolidation under a single head of all Government agencies dealing with former service men is to be taken up at once by Congressional leaders and urged for immediate action. At a conference between the President and several members of the joint Congressional Government Reorganization Committee it was decided that the service men's bill should not wait for perfection of the general reorganization plan.

NO DILATORY TACTICS.

Premier Briand Makes Emphatic Announcement.

Paris.—Premier Briand reiterated before the Foreign Affairs Commission of the Senate his emphatic expression that France would not countenance any dilatory tactics on the part of Germany on May 1 concerning reparations. "France has decided to obtain a real solution with tangible guarantees," the Premier declared.

ARMY AVIATOR KILLED.

Lieut. James J. Langin Falls 200 Feet With Plane.

Washington.—Lieut. James J. Langin, Army Air Service, was killed at Bolling Field in the fall of his plane. He was descending to make a landing and was within 200 feet of the ground when the machine fell.

COUNT NOW "MR. MINOTTO"

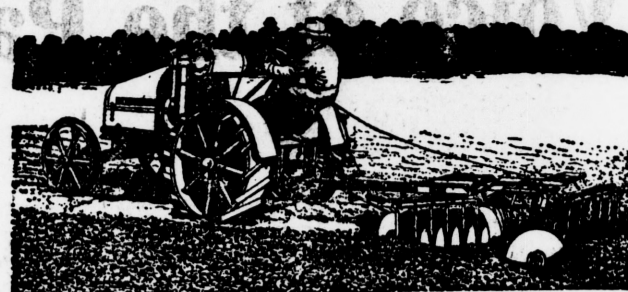
Son-in-Law Of Swift, Interned, Granted Citizenship.

Chicago.—Count Giacomo Minotto, son-in-law of Louis Swift, of the Swift Packing Company, who was interned in the war period as an enemy alien and alleged propagandist, was granted citizenship papers by Judge George A. Carpenter in the United States District Court here.

U. S. WILL RECEIVE YACHT.

Secretary Denby Intimates America Will Be Accepted.

Washington.—William U. Swann, representing the Eastern Yacht Club, of Boston, called on Secretary Denby to offer the schooner yacht America, famous old cup winner, to the Government for preservation at Annapolis. Denby indicated that the vessel would be accepted.



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Laurel	11:33 P. M.	Viola	12:24 A. M.	Middletown	2:00 A. M.
Seaford	11:46 P. M.	Woodside	1:00 A. M.	Mt. Pleasant	2:29 A. M.
Canon	11:58 P. M.	Wyoming	1:09 A. M.	Kirkwood	2:41 A. M.
		Dover	1:19 A. M.	New Castle	3:03 A. M.
Bridgetown	12:03 A. M.	Cheswold	1:31 A. M.		
Greenwood	12:13 A. M.	Brenford	1:38 A. M.	New York (Penna.)	
Farmington	12:23 A. M.	Clayton	1:45 A. M.	Station	Ar. 6:35 A. M.
Harrington	12:35 A. M.	Blackbird	1:58 A. M.		

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32 inches wide	25c yd.
30c Plaided Dress Gingham, 30 in. wide	19c yd.
35c Striped Percales fast colors, 36 inches wide	19c yd.
30c Striped Percales	15c yd.
45c Flowered Voiles, sale price	29c yd.
All colored Organdies	29c yd.

Ladies' Skirts and Waists

Ladies' Blue Serge Skirts, sale price	\$5.45
\$6.00 Dress Skirts	3.45
5.50 Silk Poplin Skirts, all colors	2.89
1.50 White Voile Waists	.85
2.50 Voile Waists	1.69
6.50 Georgette Crepe Waists	4.45
5.50 Crepe-de-chine Waists	3.75

Ladies' Hose and Underwear

\$2.50 Ladies' Silk Hose	\$1.45
2.00 Silk Hose	1.20
1.50 Silk Hose	.95c
.75 Lisle Hose	.49c
.50 Lisle Hose	.37c
.25 Ladies' Black Hose only	.10c
.75 Ladies' Ribbed Union Suits	.39c
.25 Ladies' Gauze Shirts	12½c

Misses' and Children's Gingham Dresses

\$3.00 Misses' Plaid Gingham Dresses sizes 12½ to 16½	\$1.75
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ON SATURDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 1921 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with a dwelling thereon erected, known on a certain plan of lots called "Hillcrest" situate, lying and being in Brandywine Hundred, New Castle County and State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the southerly side of the public road, known as Lore Avenue, leading from the Philadelphia and Wilmington Turnpike to Gordon Heights, at the distance of two hundred and forty-one and five-tenths feet southeasterly from the northeast-erly side of Marsh Road; thence south fifty-five degrees and forty-five minutes west, one hundred and fifty feet to a corner in line of land lately conveyed to George N. Pote, thence southeasterly, parallel with Lore Avenue and along said Pote's land, fifty feet to a corner; thence northeasterly parallel with the first described line and distant fifty feet therefrom, one hundred and fifty feet to the said southerly side of Lore Avenue; and thence thereby northeasterly fifty feet to the place of Beginning. Subject, however, to the following limitations and buildings restrictions: First that no drinking saloon, tavern, tannery, pig-sty or other building for offensive use or occupation shall be built, placed or maintained on the said premises, or any part thereof. Second that no building, except a dwelling house and outbuildings, appurtenant thereto, shall be built or maintained upon the said premises or any part thereof, which said dwelling house shall be of a value of not less than fifteen hundred dollars (\$1500) and that no building or structure excepting steps, piazzas, bay windows and other usual projections, appurtenant to a dwelling house shall be erected or maintained nearer to the street line of Lore Avenue than thirty feet.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Suburban Land Company, Corporation of the State of Delaware, mortgagor, and to be sold by JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., April 7, 1921.

SHERIFF'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF a writ of Als. Lev. Fac. to me directed, will be exposed to Public Sale at the Court House, Southeast Corner of Eleventh and King Streets, City of Wilmington, New Castle County, Delaware.

ON THURSDAY, THE 28TH DAY OF APRIL, 1921, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain tract of land, with the buildings thereon erected, situated in New Castle hundred and county, State of Delaware, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the middle line of the public road leading from Hare's corner to Christiana bridge, said point being also a corner for lands late of Henry Taylor, deceased, and lands of the Farmer's Bank, thence by the middle line of said public road, by a course ran January 1st, A. D. 1894, north 88 degrees 50 minutes east, 175-2-10 perches to a point in line of land now or formerly of Benjamin S. Booth; thence by said lands (by the old survey lines), south 64 degrees east, 44 36-100 perches to a post, and south 32 degrees 40 minutes east 31 76-100 perches and south 54 degrees 40 minutes west, 97 perches to a stone, being a corner of land late of Samuel Moore, deceased; thence by said lands north, 5 degrees west, 26 4-10 perches to another stone, and south 83 degrees west 124 48-100 perches to a stake, a corner for lands of Henry Taylor, deceased, and thence thereby north 34 degrees west, 72 64-100 perches to a stone and north 42 degrees 23 minutes east, 21 63-100 perches to the center of middle of the aforesaid public road and place of Beginning; containing within said bounds 100 acres of land, more or less.

Seized and taken in execution as the property of Delaware Orphan Home and Industrial School, a corporation of the State of Delaware, and to be sold by JOSEPH H. GOULD, Sheriff, Sheriff's Office, Wilmington, Del., April 11, 1921.

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ON SATURDAY, THE 30TH DAY OF APRIL, 1921 at 10 o'clock, A. M.

the following described Real Estate, viz: ALL that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, with the building thereon erected situate in the City, County and State aforesaid, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point on the Easterly side of Madison Street, at the distance of seventy-five feet Northerly from the Northerly side of Ninth Street; thence Easterly parallel with Ninth St. one hundred and fifty feet to a corner; thence Northerly parallel with Madison Street twenty-two feet and six inches to another corner; thence Westerly, parallel with Ninth Street one hundred and fifty feet to the said Easterly side of Madison Street, and thence thereby Southerly twenty-two feet and six inches to the place of beginning. Be the contents thereof what they may.

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Virginia Still Holds Record. Even with the inauguration of an Ohioan as president next March assured, as nearly as human events can be, Virginia will still hold the record for native sons in the White House. The record then will stand: Virginia, Washington, Jefferson, Madison, Monroe, William Henry Harrison, Tyler, Taylor, Wilson, 8; Ohio, Grant, Hayes, Garfield, Benjamin Harrison, McKinley, Taft, Harding or Cox, 7. Of Virginia's sons five were of English paternal ancestry, two Scotch, one Welsh. Of Ohio's sons three were of English paternal ancestry, two Scotch, one Scotch-Irish. We have seen no authorized statement of the paternal ancestry of Harding or Cox.

Experiments in Road Building. In order accurately to determine the durability of the various kinds of roadway, the government bureau has a stretch of roadway at Arlington representing all the different methods of road building, and over this a heavy machine is drawn back and forth by cable. This is supposed to reproduce the action of vehicles passing over it and the results are carefully noted and compared. The result of the operations will be used as a guide to the expenditure of nearly \$300,000,000 which will be made under government auspices during the next three years.

